In re: NEW YORK STATE. FSP Docket No. 00-0004. Order Dismissing Appeal filed July 12, 2000.

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By letter dated June 6, 2000, filed on July 11, 2000, the State of New York withdrew its appeal conditioned upon USDA's commitment to forego the \$11,731,000 penalty that was the subject of the appeal.

Accordingly, this matter is dismissed without prejudice.